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24 AUG 1961

*Willems*  
Major General John M. Willems  
Assistant Chief of Staff, Intelligence  
Department of the Army  
Washington 25, D. C.

Dear General Willems:

25X1 Reference is made to your letter of 9 August in which you request that a high-level [ ] source be made available for exploitation to the Intelligence Community under defector procedures.

The source is identical with the individual who was described to the USIB in its Executive Committee meeting on 9 January 1961. You will remember that the USIB was briefed at that time about our long-standing operational relationship with him. We recognize the Community's interest in the exploitation of the source's information. As you know, the counterintelligence branches of the appropriate USIB agencies for some time have been kept informed of details which have emerged directly affecting their interests. We are continuing to take this approach because several security cases affecting the national interest remain unresolved.

25X1 Therefore, and in the interests of the individual concerned, I believe that the exploitation of source's information should be handled through existing channels and procedures. Accordingly, I have instructed Mr. [ ] of this Agency to discuss arrangements which could be made to effect direct and secure access to our source by an appropriate representative of your office on matters of direct Army interest.

Sincerely,

*SIGNED*

Allen W. Dulles  
Director

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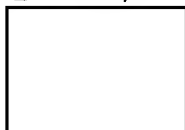
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